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Applicant(s):		Michihiro Ota et al.) I hereby certify that this correspondence is	
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		PETITION FOR EXTENSION	ON OF TIME	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the office action of				
Octobe	r 28, 200	4 in the above-identified application. The requested	extension is as follows (check time period desired):	
-	()	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$	
	()	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$	
· ~	(X)	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1,020.00	
	()	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$	
	()	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$	
()	() Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, an			
	the resulting fee is: \$			
(X)	A check including the amount of the fee is enclosed.			
()	The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.			
(X)	The Co	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application number under 37		
	C.F.R.1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0920. Should no proper amount be enclosed herewith,			
	as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the			
	Commi	issioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to	Deposit Account No. 23-0920.	

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